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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

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Claims 1-26 (canceled).

Claim 27 (previously presented). An isolated peptide consisting of SEQ ID NO:4.

Claim 28 (canceled).

Claim 29 (currently amended) An isolated peptide consisting of 8 to 40 consecutive amino acid residues of SEQ ID NO:4.

Claims 30-33 (canceled).